



SEA LAVENDER

Limonium Nashii

Limonium carolinianum

Located in salt or brackish marshes throughout the Division. Also known as Marsh-Rosemary, Lavender-Thrift, Ink Root. The two species differ only in the detailed structure of the tiny flowers and are difficult to separate.

Perennial herbs with thick fleshy leaves and a much-branched flowering stem. Leaves smooth, oblong, spatulate or broad-lance shaped, narrowing into stem, tipped with a bristly point, midvein prominent; to 25 cm long, 1 to 4 cm wide; forming basal rosettes. The leafless flowery stalk is thick and woody at the base; much branched and spreading; 15 to 60 cm high. Branches covered with many small, 5-petaled, lavender or blue flowers; flowers solitary or clustered in two's or three's; blooming in July to October.



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